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## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Application No. : 10/060,567  
 Applicant(s) : Kelly Ann Kochvar, et al.  
 Filed : January 30, 2002  
 Title : Rapidly Dissolvable Polymer Films and Articles Made Therefrom  
 TC/A.U. : 1714  
 Examiner : Tae H. Yoon  
 Conf. No. : 7678  
 Docket No. : 8411M  
 Customer No. : 27752

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME PURSUANT TO 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a)

Commissioner for Patents

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Dear Sir:

This is a request under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a) to extend the period for filing a reply in the above-identified application.

The requested extension and fee are as follows: \$450.00 for two months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(2))

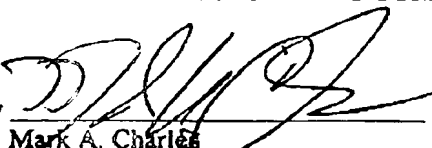
The Director is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees which may be required, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account Number 16-2480.

A duplicate copy of this petition is enclosed.

Respectfully submitted,

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